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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:				
Inventor:	Ralf Neuhaus et al.)	Group Art Unit:	2154
Serial No.:	10/520,681)	Confirm no.:	5198
Filed:	01-07-2005)	Examiner:	PATEL, Ashokkumar B.
Title:	COMMUNICATION NETW COMPONENTS HAVING O SEARCH FUNCTIONS			

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Sir:

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

In response to the final rejection contained in the Office Communication mailed October 26, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment and remarks in connection with the above-identified application. The only amendment herein is the cancellation of claim 26 per the Examiner's restriction requirement. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested in order to place the application into condition for allowance, or alternatively, to place the claims into better form for consideration upon appeal.

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